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LETTER AND CONCURRENCE FROM SOUTH CAROLINA STATE AND HISTORIC  
PRESERVATION OFFICE REGARDING REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION WORK PLAN FOR  
RESPONSE PROGRAM SITES AND ARCHAEOLOGICALLY SENSITIVE AREAS MCRD  
PARRIS ISLAND SC  
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SOUTH CAROLINA STATE AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

March 21, 2012



Ms. Kim Zawacki  
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Re: Work Plan: Response Program Sites & Archaeologically Sensitive Areas  
Beaufort County, South Carolina  
SHPO No. 12JB0031

Dear Ms. Zawacki:

Thank you for your email of February 28, regarding the above-named project. We also received maps and a work plan as supporting documentation for this undertaking. The State Historic Preservation Office is providing comments to U.S. Marine Corps pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations, 36 CFR 800. Consultation with the SHPO is not a substitution for consultation with Tribal Historic Preservation Offices, other Native American tribes, local governments, or the public.

The Navy and Marine Corps have conducted various testing, training and disposal activities related to military munitions at Marine Corps Recruit Depot. A 2010 site investigation, in accordance with the Military Munitions Response Program, was conducted to determine the presence or absence of Munitions and Explosives of Concern. The site investigation identified geophysical anomalies that could represent Munitions and Explosives of Concern or unexploded ordnances. Therefore, a Remedial Investigation was recommended. Based on the work plan provided, we concur that the proposed project will cause **no adverse effect** to the archaeological sites 38BU924, 38BU1401, 38BU1912, 38BU958, 38BU1103, 38BU162.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 896-6181 or [jbarnes@scdah.state.sc.us](mailto:jbarnes@scdah.state.sc.us).

Sincerely,

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